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Table 1: Economy						
	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	
ESTIMATES OF UNEMPLOYMENT - June quarter						
Unemployed persons	no.	23	20	29	24	27
Unemployment rate	%	1.8	1.6	2.3	1.9	2.0
TAXATION STATISTICS - year ended 30 June						
Non-taxable individuals	no.	-	-	432	528	-
Taxable income (non-taxable individuals)	\$m	-	-	2.0	2.8	-
Average taxable income (non-taxable individuals)	\$	-	-	4,422	5,324	-
Taxable individuals	no.	-	-	953	856	-
Average taxable income (taxable individuals)	\$m	-	-	3.1	3.2	-
Average taxable income (taxable individuals)	\$	-	-	35,315	37,280	-
Net tax	\$m	-	-	6.8	5.8	-
Average net tax	\$	-	-	7,147	6,307	-
Net tax as a proportion of taxable income	%	-	-	22	15	-
Taxable and non-taxable individuals	no.	-	-	1,385	1,364	-
Average taxable income (taxable and non-taxable individuals)	\$m	-	-	3.0	3.0	-
Average taxable income (taxable and non-taxable individuals)	\$	-	-	25,710	24,923	-
SELECTED GOVERNMENT PENSIONS & ALLOWANCES - at 30 June						
Age Pension - Certificates	no.	230	234	220	216	234
Age Pension - DVA	no.	0	0	0	0	0
Care Payment	no.	70	70	70	70	70
Disability Support Pension	no.	70	70	70	70	70
Newstart Allowance	no.	22	22	35	21	30
Pensioner Payment - Single	no.	20	27	31	31	23
Youth Allowances	no.	25	26	26	26	25
Newstart Allowance - more than 365 days	%	np	np	np	np	np
ESTIMATES OF PERSONAL INCOME - year ended 30 June						
Wages and salary earners	no.	933	882	896	859	-
Wage and salary income	\$m	22.0	21.8	22.8	22.7	-
Average wage and salary income	\$	23,950	24,652	26,644	26,402	-
Own unincorporated business earners	no.	725	700	679	644	-
Own unincorporated business income	\$m	12.8	12.4	12.8	11	-
Average Own unincorporated business income	\$	17,753	14,417	11,116	17,756	-
Investment earners	no.	962	945	927	940	-
Investment income	\$m	4.5	4.5	4.2	4.2	-
Average investment income	\$	4,422	8,168	8,023	8,576	-
Supervision and emolument earners	no.	20	21	21	20	-
Supervision and emolument income	\$m	0.4	0.5	0.7	0.7	-
Average Supervision and emolument income	\$	12,738	12,762	15,876	17,744	-
Other income earners (excl. Government pensions & allowances)	no.	108	134	123	130	-
Other income (excl. Government pensions & allowances)	\$m	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.3	-
Average other income (excl. Government pensions & allowances)	\$	1,188	1,149	1,083	2,069	-
Total income (excl. Government pensions & allowances)	\$m	30.7	30.7	32.1	30.9	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY AGE AND SEX - year ended 30 June						
Males - 15 years to 24 years	no.	117	106	97	96	-
Males - 25 years to 34 years	no.	114	103	89	85	-
Males - 35 years to 44 years	no.	102	84	89	84	-
Males - 45 years to 54 years	no.	74	73	73	68	-
Males - 55 years to 64 years	no.	68	70	70	76	-
Males - 65 years and over	no.	13	11	13	16	-
Males - Total	no.	492	451	426	429	-
Females - 15 years to 24 years	no.	84	79	74	67	-
Females - 25 years to 34 years	no.	82	81	80	80	-
Females - 35 years to 44 years	no.	100	100	100	100	-
Females - 45 years to 54 years	no.	101	98	101	100	-
Females - 55 years to 64 years	no.	54	53	58	54	-
Females - 65 years and over	no.	2	2	2	0	-
Females - Total	no.	441	433	420	418	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY OCCUPATION - year ended 30 June						
Managers and Administrators	no.	94	88	81	76	-
Professionals	no.	119	113	123	118	-
Associate professionals	no.	23	23	23	23	-
Technicians and Related Workers	no.	63	62	61	76	-
Advanced Clerical and Service Workers	no.	8	8	8	8	-
Intermediate Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no.	152	150	149	152	-
Elementary Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no.	45	46	46	41	-
Laborers and Related Workers	no.	265	253	250	252	-
Non-laborers	no.	1	1	1	1	-
Total wage and salary earners	no.	934	884	855	857	-
ESTIMATES OF HOUSEHOLD WEALTH - year ended 29 June						
Net worth per household	\$1000	423.3	-	-	-	-
Aggregate household net worth	\$1000	376.3	-	-	-	-
Equivalised net worth	\$1000	285.3	-	-	-	-
Assets per household	\$1000	448.0	-	-	-	-
Liabilities per household	\$1000	26.2	-	-	-	-
Debt to asset ratio	%	5.8	-	-	-	-
COUNTS OF BUSINESSES, INCLUDING ENTRIES AND EXITS						
Number of Businesses - at 30 June						
Non-employing businesses	no.	267	262	240	250	-
Employing businesses 1-4 employees	no.	111	122	90	96	-
Employing businesses 5 or more employees	no.	74	90	93	76	-
Total businesses	no.	452	465	438	405	-
Business Entries - year ended 30 June						
Non-employing business entries	no.	45	21	18	24	-
Employing business entries	no.	19	20	20	20	-
Total business entries	no.	63	64	58	53	-
Business Exits - year ended 30 June						
Non-employing business exits	no.	48	30	18	20	-
Employing business exits	no.	6	0	30	9	-
Total business exits	no.	54	30	48	29	-
Number of Businesses by Industry - at 30 June						
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	no.	201	306	291	264	-
Mining	no.	1	1	1	1	-
Manufacturing	no.	0	0	0	0	-
Electricity, gas and water supply	no.	0	0	0	0	-
Construction	no.	32	12	12	12	-
Wholesale trade	no.	14	14	14	14	-
Retail trade	no.	36	42	36	36	-
Accommodation, cafe and restaurants	no.	12	12	9	6	-
Transport, postal and warehousing	no.	15	15	15	21	-
Communication services	no.	6	3	3	3	-
Finance and insurance	no.	12	8	8	3	-
Property and business services	no.	21	24	21	24	-
Education, health and community services	no.	0	0	0	0	-
Health and community services	no.	6	6	3	6	-
Cultural and recreational services	no.	0	0	0	0	-
Residential other services	no.	0	0	0	0	-
Total businesses	no.	403	405	405	405	-



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Table 2: Population and People

		2004	2005
ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION BY AGE AND SEX - at 30 June			
Males - 0 to 4 years	no.	70	82
Males - 5 years to 9 years	no.	79	66
Males - 10 years to 14 years	no.	90	88
Males - 15 years to 19 years	no.	76	77
Males - 20 years to 24 years	no.	66	61
Males - 25 years to 29 years	no.	51	57
Males - 30 years to 34 years	no.	78	67
Males - 35 years to 39 years	no.	82	84
Males - 40 years to 44 years	no.	100	90
Males - 45 years to 49 years	no.	74	74
Males - 50 years to 54 years	no.	94	90
Males - 55 years to 59 years	no.	82	93
Males - 60 years to 64 years	no.	66	69
Males - 65 years to 69 years	no.	52	52
Males - 70 years to 74 years	no.	39	35
Males - 75 years to 79 years	no.	25	28
Males - 80 years to 84 years	no.	25	27
Males - 85 years and over	no.	11	14
Males - Total	no.	1 160	1 154
 Females - 0 to 4 years	no.	77	75
Females - 5 years to 9 years	no.	92	91
Females - 10 years to 14 years	no.	90	87
Females - 15 years to 19 years	no.	55	63
Females - 20 years to 24 years	no.	36	34
Females - 25 years to 29 years	no.	57	57
Females - 30 years to 34 years	no.	66	68
Females - 35 years to 39 years	no.	79	70
Females - 40 years to 44 years	no.	84	81
Females - 45 years to 49 years	no.	72	76
Females - 50 years to 54 years	no.	65	63
Females - 55 years to 59 years	no.	66	69
Females - 60 years to 64 years	no.	51	52
Females - 65 years to 69 years	no.	39	41
Females - 70 years to 74 years	no.	36	39
Females - 75 years to 79 years	no.	38	33
Females - 80 years to 84 years	no.	28	34
Females - 85 years and over	no.	32	34
Females - Total	no.	1 063	1 067
 Persons - 0 to 4 years	no.	147	157
Persons - 5 years to 9 years	no.	171	157
Persons - 10 years to 14 years	no.	180	175

Persons - 15 years to 19 years	no.	131	140
Persons - 20 years to 24 years	no.	102	95
Persons - 25 years to 29 years	no.	108	114
Persons - 30 years to 34 years	no.	144	135
Persons - 35 years to 39 years	no.	161	154
Persons - 40 years to 44 years	no.	184	171
Persons - 45 years to 49 years	no.	146	150
Persons - 50 years to 54 years	no.	159	153
Persons - 55 years to 59 years	no.	148	162
Persons - 60 years to 64 years	no.	117	121
Persons - 65 years to 69 years	no.	91	93
Persons - 70 years to 74 years	no.	75	74
Persons - 75 years to 79 years	no.	63	61
Persons - 80 years to 84 years	no.	53	61
Persons - 85 years and over	no.	43	48
Persons - Total	no.	2 223	2 221

POPULATION DENSITY (ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION) - at 30 June

Population density	persons/km2	-	-
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ESTIMATED RESIDENT INDIGENOUS POPULATION - at 30 June

Percentage of total population	%	-	-
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OVERSEAS BORN POPULATION: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION - Census 2006

Born in Oceania and Antarctica (excluding Australia)	%	-	-
Born in North-West Europe	%	-	-
Born in Southern and Eastern Europe	%	-	-
Born in North Africa and the Middle East	%	-	-
Born in South-East Asia	%	-	-
Born in North-East Asia	%	-	-
Born in Southern and Central Asia	%	-	-
Born in Americas	%	-	-
Born in Sub-Saharan Africa	%	-	-
Total born overseas	%	-	-

SPEAKS A LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ENGLISH AT HOME - Census 2006

Percentage of total population	%	-	-
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LEVEL OF POST SCHOOL QUALIFICATIONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Census 2006

Postgraduate Degree	%	-	-
Graduate Diploma and Graduate Certificate	%	-	-
Bachelor Degree	%	-	-
Advanced Diploma and Diploma	%	-	-
Certificate	%	-	-
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-
Total with qualifications	%	-	-

OCCUPATION OF EMPLOYED PERSONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL EMPLOYED PERSONS - Census 2006

Managers	%	-	-
Professionals	%	-	-
Technicians and Trades Workers	%	-	-
Community and Personal Service Workers	%	-	-
Clerical and Administrative Workers	%	-	-
Sales Workers	%	-	-

Machinery Operators and Drivers	%	-	-
Labourers	%	-	-
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-

HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE - Census 2006

Lone person households	no.	-	-
Group households	no.	-	-
Family households	no.	-	-
Total households	no.	-	-

FAMILIES BY TYPE - Census 2006

Couple families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-
Couple families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-
Couple families without children	no.	-	-
One parent families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-
One parent families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-
Other families	no.	-	-
Total families	no.	-	-

INTERNAL MIGRATION - Census 2006

Persons who lived at same address 1 year ago	no.	-	-
Persons who lived at different address 1 year ago	no.	-	-
Persons who lived at same address 5 years ago	no.	-	-
Persons who lived at different address 5 years ago	no.	-	-

PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY REMOTENESS AREA - Census 2006

Major Cities	%	-	-
Inner Regional	%	-	-
Outer Regional	%	-	-
Remote	%	-	-
Very Remote	%	-	-

PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY SECTION OF STATE - Census 2006

Major Urban	%	-	-
Other Urban	%	-	-
Bounded Locality	%	-	-
Rural Balance	%	-	-

UNPAID WORK: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Census 2006

Persons undertaking voluntary work for an organisation or group	%	-	-
Persons caring for own children without pay	%	-	-
Persons caring for other children without pay	%	-	-
Persons caring for own children and other children without pay	%	-	-
Persons providing unpaid care, help or assistance to family members or others	%	-	-

ACCESS TO INTERNET AT HOME: PROPORTION OF OCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLINGS - Census 2006

Broadband connection	%	-	-
Dial-up connection	%	-	-
Other connection	%	-	-
Total internet connections	%	-	-

BIRTHS AND DEATHS - year ended 31 December

Births	no.	31	37
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Total fertility rate	rate	2.3	2.8
Deaths	no.	17	22
Standardised death rate	rate	7.8	7.7

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2006	2007	2008
83	84	79
67	51	57
89	95	89
66	69	73
63	72	71
59	54	52
68	61	56
83	73	69
74	82	89
85	85	89
79	79	67
100	103	106
73	82	84
54	49	52
38	42	37
33	32	35
24	24	25
18	19	22
1 156	1 156	1 152
80	78	80
85	82	79
89	94	89
56	57	57
34	34	44
55	53	52
61	60	54
68	66	60
87	89	90
82	77	74
59	62	60
65	63	54
51	52	57
47	46	50
35	38	44
30	33	34
37	31	30
39	43	38
1 060	1 058	1 046
163	162	159
152	133	136
178	189	178

122	126	130
97	106	115
114	107	104
129	121	110
151	139	129
161	171	179
167	162	163
138	141	127
165	166	160
124	134	141
101	95	102
73	80	81
63	65	69
61	55	55
57	62	60
2 216	2 214	2 198

-	-	0.4
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0.7	-	-
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1.2	-	-
3.3	-	-
0.1	-	-
0.4	-	-
0.4	-	-
0.0	-	-
0.2	-	-
0.3	-	-
0.7	-	-
6.6	-	-

1.8	-	-
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rus 2006

0.3	-	-
0.5	-	-
5.7	-	-
6.1	-	-
15.3	-	-
7.7	-	-
35.5	-	-

41.6	-	-
8.8	-	-
10.7	-	-
4.5	-	-
7.5	-	-
5.3	-	-

5.9	-	-
14.9	-	-
0.8	-	-

253	-	-
15	-	-
562	-	-
830	-	-

223	-	-
30	-	-
243	-	-
45	-	-
14	-	-
3	-	-
558	-	-

1 802	-	-
237	-	-
1 285	-	-
605	-	-

0.0	-	-
0.0	-	-
11.3	-	-
88.7	-	-
0.0	-	-

0.0	-	-
0.0	-	-
51.7	-	-
48.3	-	-

43.5	-	-
23.8	-	-
9.4	-	-
1.0	-	-
11.0	-	-

8.9	-	-
41.6	-	-
0.7	-	-
51.2	-	-

3.0	3.0	2.7
22	23	19
6.9	7.1	6.5



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Table 3: Industry

		2004	2005
BUILDING APPROVALS - year ended 30 June			
Private sector houses	no.	6	3
Total dwelling units	no.	9	3
Value of private sector houses	\$m	1.0	0.2
Value of new residential building	\$m	1.1	0.2
Value of total residential building	\$m	1.2	0.5
Value of total non-residential building	\$m	0.9	0.9
Value of total building	\$m	2.1	1.4
Average value of private sector houses	\$'000	161.4	70.5
MOTOR VEHICLE CENSUS - REGISTERED MOTOR VEHICLES - at 31 March			
Number by type of vehicle			
Passenger vehicles	no.	1 260	1 273
Campervans	no.	8	9
Light commercial vehicles	no.	730	726
Light rigid trucks	no.	11	12
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	158	155
Articulated trucks	no.	35	38
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	3	4
Buses	no.	10	9
Motorcycles	no.	93	81
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	2 309	2 307
Rate per 1,000 population			
Passenger vehicles	no.	567	573
Campervans	no.	4	4
Light commercial vehicles	no.	328	327
Light rigid trucks	no.	5	5
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	71	70
Articulated trucks	no.	16	17
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	1	2
Buses	no.	4	4
Motorcycles	no.	42	36
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	1 039	1 039
Age of vehicle			
Less than 5 years old	no.	463	472
5 years to less than 10 years old	no.	532	555
10 years or older	no.	1 296	1 264
Number by type of fuel			
Petrol	no.	1 747	1 704

Diesel	no.	545	585
LPG/Dual/Other	no.	16	18

GROSS VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION * - year ended 30 June

Gross value of crops	\$m	-	-
Gross value of livestock slaughterings	\$m	-	-
Gross value of livestock products	\$m	-	-
Total gross value of agricultural production	\$m	-	-

AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES * - year ended 30 June

Total area

Area of holding	ha	-	-
Cereals for grain	ha	-	-
Vegetables for human consumption	ha	-	-
Orchard trees (including nuts)	ha	-	-
All fruit (excluding grapes)	ha	-	-
Non-cereal broadacre crops	ha	-	-

Total number

Sheep and lambs	no.	-	-
Milk cattle (excluding house cows)	no.	-	-
Meat cattle	no.	-	-
Pigs	no.	-	-

* Agricultural commodities and value of production data is subject to relative standard error (RSE) - for further information see ABS

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2006	2007	2008
4	4	5
4	4	5
0.5	0.5	1.2
0.4	0.5	1.2
0.6	0.7	1.6
1.0	0.3	1.1
1.6	1.0	2.7
113.2	121.2	249.9
1 274	1 269	1 285
8	14	15
729	718	722
14	12	10
144	130	127
39	42	51
4	4	4
9	8	9
87	98	83
2 308	2 296	2 307
575	573	585
4	6	7
329	324	328
6	5	5
65	59	58
18	19	23
2	2	2
4	4	4
39	44	38
1 042	1 037	1 050
463	443	426
555	546	562
1 274	1 289	1 308
1 695	1 656	1 626

598	620	665
16	19	16

111.8	-	-
16.9	-	-
6.7	-	-
135.4	-	-

394 488.0	-	-
135 429.0	-	-
3 608.0	-	-
431.9	-	-
434.3	-	-
12 893.3	-	-

325 768	-	-
89	-	-
9 182	-	-
23 078	-	-

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Table 4: Environment and Energy

	2004	2005
LAND AREA		
Land area	km2	-
WATER USE ON AUSTRALIAN FARMS		
Area of agricultural land	ha '000	-
Area irrigated	ha '000	-
Irrigation volume applied	ML	-
Other agricultural uses	ML	-
Total water use	ML	-
Area irrigated as proportion of agricultural land	%	-

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	2006	2007	2008
	-	-	5 702.4
394	-	-	
4	-	-	
24 467	-	-	
1 797	-	-	
26 264	-	-	
1.0	-	-	